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Applicant : HIMES Art Unit : 3629
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Title : LOYALTY LINK METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INTEGRATING
CUSTOMER INFORMATION WITH DEALER MANAGEMENT
INFORMATION

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This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed March 18, 2003.

A. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Reconsideration and allowance are requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. Upon entry of this Reply, claims 1, 15, 30, 31, 45, 60, 61, 75, 90, 101, 116, 120, 131 and 136-245 will be pending in the present application with claims 1, 15, 30, 31, 45, 60, 61, 75, 90, 101, 116, 120, and 131 being independent. Support for claims 1, 15, 30, 31, 45, 60, 61, 75, 90, 101, 116, 120, 131 and 136-245 can be found throughout the specification. No new matter has been added.